Campaign.

It is likely that Lieut. Gov. Haile, the Republican candidate, will contest the election of Gov. Russell in Massachusetts, not, it is said, because he questions the legality of Russell's title, but to set himself right before the people, and to show that had it not been for votes mistakenly cast for Wolcott Hamlin he would now be Governor elect. All this comes out of the discovery that numberless votes were thrown out because the ballots were improperly marked. Returns from all Counties of the State, except Suffolk, show that over 19,000 votes cast were worthless under the Australian system. Onethird of them were entirely blank-that is, with no mark whatever against a name for Governor, while the others were rendered inoperative by the voters placing a cross against the name of William H. Haile, and also against that of Wolcott Hamlin, the Prohibition candidate, the latter's name following that of Haile

The peculiarity of the name, "Wolcott Hamlin," doubtless led thousands of voters to believe that when they marked first for Haile, candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, Roger Wolcott, who, in reality, was eight names lower down on the ballot under the appropriate head, ated tax on incomes. "Lieutenant-Governor."

An estimate based on the assumption that it was clearly the intention of the voter to mark

Gov. Russell is elected with a plurality of 2,699. Democrat, is 9,963. William M. Olin, Republican, has a plurality of 17,808 over Charles S. Hamlin, Democrat, for Secretary of State. George A. Marden, Republican, as State Treasurer, has a plurality over James S. Grinnel, Democrat, of 23,946.

A bill was introduced into the Alabama Legwhose State and County taxes, as assessed, do not amount to \$5, shall not be required to pay the same if it be shown that such person failed to vote at the August and November elections of the previous year.

voters would take advantage of the opportu-nity of saving \$5. Many think the bill will

The opponents of the anti-option bill are de- and one Independent Republican. termined this measure shall not become a law. legislation exists in New York, Chicago, Milwankee, New Orleans, and other large cities, and it is underztood that a delegation from to use their influence in preventing the passage of the bill. The fight will be almost entirely confined to the Senate and those who led the opposition last session-Senators White of Louisiana, Wolcott of Colorado, and Hiscock of New York-will probably take the foremost steps to kill it. The tactics to be pursued, it is stated, will be the same as those adopted last session. An attempt will be made to talk the speeches with this end in view have already been prepared. It is said that Vice-President cloture rule, and unless this is done there seems to be no method of closing the debate and bringing the bill to a vote.

Mrs. Lease, of Kansas, has announced her candidacy for the Senatorship of that State. In this connection, she says: "I believe that the man, and I will not enter into any scramble for the place. In the sense that I will log-roll with the politicians I am not a candidate. I intend to set the men an example. The people know whether they want me or not, and if they want me they can probably get me; but I shall not make a canvass for the office. I will qualify that statement, try to fight me on that ground I shall have for Weaver.

"I have consulted good Constitutional lawyers, and know that I am eligible to the office, this is that of all the congratulatory letters I | outside of Chicago. have received not one of them is from a | The total vote for President was 869,250, an am not a woman suffragist agitator, but people votes in Illinois. Evidently the Prohibition who know me know where I stand on that party is on the wane in this State.

day. The plans have been made for a fight | Cleveland's majority over all, 35,810. before Congress and the State Legislature this any event. If the rumors that several promineut Texans and two Colorado millionaires are to which Texas claims a title, and which borders western Kansas on the south, will be added to the new State. It is a strip of country 30 miles wide by 175 long. It is also claimed that Senator Wolcott being in favor of the Horace Waters, received 2,439. scheme, Colorado would be willing to cut off a 50-mile strip on the east side. Railroad Commissioner A. B. Greene, an enthusiastic advo-

cate of the project, said the other day: "We are going to divide Kansas. The people want to do it, especially in the western part. The State is too large. There is a feeling of half that they are raising money to support State institutions in the eastern half from which they get no benefit. The only State institution in the western half is the Soldiers' Home at Dodge City, with some 250 inmates."

Clerk Herr, of the House of Representatives, has compiled a list of the members of the next | quarters, House so far as the returns have been given from reliable sources. He finds that there will whole country had registered, and they were be 218 Democrats, 128 Republicans, and eight in Oregon. According to Census figures there Populists in the body, with the State of Rhode are over 107,000 Chinese in the country, al-Island yet to be heard from. The returns were | though it is believed that these figures fall far in most instances collected from those made to short of the truth. The only penalty for failthe Secretaries of State of the various States.

As the table stands at present the Democrats to China. At a very moderate estimate it birthday. His death, although looked for for

that the Third Party will hold the balance in | eral to carry out this program. There is \$50 . | able to stand. They had been married 63 years. the State Legislature. The Democrats lack five | 000 set aside for the purpose. The additional votes of having a majority, and the Republicans are seven short. At the coming session a | if the law is to be carried out by the 5th of successor to the present Senator Felton will be | May, for it is evident that the Chinese residents elected, and as neither of the two parties have a majority, the seven votes which the Third | with its provisions. Party has, will be of great assistance to either the Democrats or Republicans. To add to this the seven Independents have not as yet declared their Senatorial choice, and at present the mat- and builders of the famous 36-inch Lick teleter is very much in doubt.

tariff question, and that he will vote for any largest in the world, but the new instrument

candidate for Congress from the Seventh (black) South Carolina District, by George Murray, the negro Republican. The certificate of election was given to Murray by 40 votes only, the total being, Morse, 41,955; Murray, 41,995. The face of the returns as sent up stances old people, but most of them are young by the County Boards gave Murray little more and middle aged farmers with their families. than 2,500 votes. Over 1,700 of Murray's votes, thrown out as illegal on account of offsize ballots, given out to the negroes as proper ballots by the Democrats, were counted in. Gen. Morse will carry the fight into Congress.

was first supposed that Kolb would attempt to be sworn in on inauguration day-next Thursday. It is understood that he has abandoned this idea. The principal dependence of Kolb is upon legislation. Alabama has no law providing for a contest over the election of State officers. Such a bill has already been introduced into the House. Upon its passage depends Kolb's chances. It was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, and

the Kolbites express confidence in its passage. "Kolb's charges of fraud are rediculous," said the present Governor. "They have absolutely no foundation, and there is not one of them which has not been absolutely disproved. The record of the man in private and political matters throws discredit upon any charge he may make, and the Supreme Court has passed adversely upon his business integrity. There is no doubt but that I was honestly elected. If I thought for a moment that I was not elected I would not hold office. I did not want re-election. I was forced into the fight. start in a northerly direction along the western I would have resigned after the present session of the Legislature had not this contest arisen. erly of the Liakov, or New Siberian Group, When Kolb started in to throw me out, I made up my mind to stay and I am going to stay."

At the closing meeting of the Farmers' Mutual Benefit Association, held at Champaign, Ill., the free and unlimited coinage of silver was demanded, and an increased circulating medium. They also recommended the establishment of a postal savings bank in lieu of the no longer practicable, I shall have nothing left present method of perpetuating National banks; that all dealings in futures of agricultural and and then for the name next following, Wolcott | mechanical productions and the adulturation Hamlin, they were voting for the Republican of foods and medicines be prohibited by Congress. They favor the election of United States
Senators by the people, and demanded a graduated tax on incomes.

moving in a northerly direction. Assisted by nature, instead of fighting against her, we expect to be taken by the drifting of the ice-floes

By the Democrats it is claimed that Ohio should have gone Democratic by a small mafor Haile and his associate on the ticket, Wol- jority. The complete returns show that Lorcott, and not for Wolcott Hamlin, gives Haile a enzo D. Vickers, the Republican Elector for the plurality over Russell in those Counties of 10,- | Eleventh District, is defeated by James F. Seward, whose name appears first on the list The recount, as now given out, shows that of Democratic Electors. He received 404,115 other, but always in a northerly direction, votes, and Vickers received only 402,339. It is | until, as I have already said, we emerge into The plurality of Roger Walcott, Republican, for | claimed that many who thought that they were | the Greenland Sea, whence we shall return to Lieutenant-Governor, over James B. Carroll, voting the straight Democratic ticket placed the cross by Seward's name, whereas they were only voting the Elector. The abstracts of five Counties have been sent back for correction, and it is thought that this will overthrow two Republican Electors, who have very slight

Matters are very close in the Kansas State islature last week providing that all persons | Legislature. There are 40 Senators and 125 members, and it stands politically as follows: Republicans, 77; Populists, 82; Democrats, 4; Independent Republican, 1; tie between Republican and Populist, 1. The tie will be settled by lot by the six State officers who com-There are not 20 per cent, of the negro voters | pose the State Canvassing Board, five of whom who pay taxes exceeding \$5 a year. At the are Republicans. If the Populists should get lowest calculation 50 per cent of the negro | the seat it will give them 83 votes on joint ballot, just enough to elect a Senator. If the Republicans win it will give them 78 votes. five short of a majority, and to elect a Senator they would have to have the four Democrats

This is on the supposition that there will be and a strong force has been organized to defeat | no contests in either branch of the Legislature. it. Very influential opposition to this proposed | If the Republicans organize the House, as now Populists before the Senator is elected, seat Republicans and insure the election of a Reeach of these places will come to Washington | publican Senator. But if they should do this, the Populist Senators would unseat as many Republican Senators, who slipped through with a bare majority. Never in the history of the State has a Legislature been so close on joint ballot, or has the situation been so interesting to the politicians of all parties.

The official count of the vote of Conneticut, as determined by the State Board of Canvassmeasure to death, and it is reported that long | ers, shows that Cleveland, for President, received the largest vote ever cast for a candidate in the State. The total vote of the State for Morton will not consent to the adoption of a President was 164,825, and Cleveland's plurality is 5,570. Total for Governor is 164,479. L. B. Morris, the Democratic candidate for Governor, has a majority of 895, and a plurality over Lieut.-Gov. Merwin, the Republican can-

> Official returns have been received from all North Dakota Counties except six, The figures | The wires made out that the name of the reon those heard from give the Weaver electors 250 plurality. Private advices from the Counties not yet officially reported show the Harrison electors to have a plurality of 15.

In Bottineau County Michaels is contesting Havervold's election to the Legislature, claimright to vote. There is a similar contest in Emhowever, with this proviso, that I be not at- had a right to vote, the electoral vote of the off as they were running. Indeed Dr. Carver tacked solely because I am a woman. If they | State will go for Harrison, otherwise it will go | can bardly surpass him in marksmanship.

390,288; Cleveland, 426,281, a plurality for the | probably be able to stand trial at the next term latter of 26,993; Fifer, 402,659; Altgeld, 425,and if the legislators are inclined to send my | 437, a plurality for Altgeld of 22,778. It will | ville that powerful remnants of the gang still to Washington I will go. I have received a be observed that both Harrison and Fifer came exist, and there is consequently a quiet expecvery large number of highly-complimentary | to Cook County ahead of their opponents. The | tation of more trouble. letters from prominent men all over the country urging me to become a candidate, but I am tively, in the State at large as in Cook County, not running after office. The strangest part of | showing that no material scratching was done | tons in most of the towns near Coffeyville

Still, I have done more for the increase of 121,574 over 1888. Weaver led Bid- | while the banks rob everybody else. But you women in the last year than all the other | well, getting 24,590 to Bidwell's 20,685. In | can't be surprised at anything you meet in women reformers have done in 40 years. I 1888 Gen. Fisk, the Prohibitionist, had 21,695 | Kansas, from its water to its politicians,"

new Commonwealth is gaining adherents every 113,255; Weaver, 12,274, and Bidwell, 2,736. The official vote of Kentucky is: Cleveland, Winter. The original movers figured on three | 175,424; Harrison, 135,420; Weaver, 23,503, | arrested and thrown into prison. There he was Congressmen, but it appears now that in the | and Bidwell, 6,385. Total, 340,732. Cleveproposed new State there are but 223,000 people, land's plurality, 40,004. In 1888 Cleveland re- amination or trial, his protestations of British which would allow one-not more than two in | ceived 183,000 and Harrison 155,134. The total | citizenship going unheeded. The British Govvote in 1888 was 344,800.

The following is New York's official vote: in the deal prove true the population will be Cleveland electors, headed by Wm. Steinway, ington have asked Secretary of State Pinkham, increased many thousands. No Man's Land, 175,267. Harrison electors, headed by Henry of Idaho, for information. 175,267. Harrison electors, headed by Henry | of Idaho, for information. W. Sage, received 98,967. Weaver electors headed by Isaac Edwin Dean, received 2,366. Wing electors, headed by Daniel de Leon, received 5,945. Bidwell electors, headed by

The Chinese Restriction Act.

It would seem that the latest Chinese restriction act is a dead letter. The law was passed on May 5 last, and required that within one year from that time all Chinese laborers | vicinity of \$120. within the United States should take out regisdiscontent among the people of the western | tration papers before the Collector of Internal Revenue of their respective districts, and fornish photographs of themselves for identification. On the 7th of July the Internal Revenue Department issued its forms of application for registry to all the officers having Chinese laborers in their districts, and distributed warnings in Chinese throughout all the Chinese

transport them all. It is the duty of the Sec-By the full returns from California it appears | retary of the Treasury and the Attorney-Gensum must be appropriated by the next Congress of the United States do not intend to comply

It Will be the Largest Telescope.

Warner & Swasey, of Cleveland, the designers scope and the 26-inch telescope for the new Naval Observatory at Washington, will make Senator Kyle, the Populist of South Dakota, the 46-inch Yerkes telescope for the University says that he will act with the Democrats on the of Chicago. The Lick telescope is now the "judicious measure that will be a step in the will, when completed, exceed it in power by 25 direction of tariff reform." be 75 feet long and will weigh about six tons, The State Board of Canvassers last week com- and the instrument complete not less than 60 pleted the two days' hearing of the contested tons. It is estimated that the telescope will be election of Gen. E. W. Morse, the Democratic completed in one year.

These are moving because for the last three or four years their crops have been very bad, and they could not meet their obligations. They have had to mortgage what little they had as security to landlords and merchants who fur-In all probabilities there will be a bitter thing has been taken away; so they are all struggle for the Governorship of Alabama. It | going to Texas to better their condition,

AN ARCTIC EXPEDITION.

Dr. Nansen, a Norwegian Explorer, will

Penetrate in and Beyond the North Pole. The scientific world is interested in a pole explorer besides Lieut. Peary, and his name is Dr. Fridjof Nansen. He is the sturdy Norwegian who made a journey across the Island of Greenland in the ice cap in 1888, and he is now about to start on a novel expedition to pass the pole and traverse the unknown polar regions. Dr. Nansen said of his expedition in an address before the London Royal Geographical Society, that, "With a party of 12 chosen men I shall leave Norway early in June next and sail direct to Nova Zembla. So soon as the condition of the ice permits we shall leave for the Kara Sea, probably early in July. Striking the Siberian Coast and passing Cape Tschel juskin, the most northerly point of the Old World, I shall pass on so far as the mouth of the River Lena. Leaving the coast I shall coast of the Island of Kotelnai, the most westand shall continue in this direction until the

pack ice renders farther navigation impossible. "We shall do our best to force the ship through the ice, but we shall at last reach a point where we must stop. This will probably bring us to September, and we shall in this way get to some distance north of the New Siberian Islands. When navigation becomes but to ram the ship into the ice as far as possi-ble and stick there. Then we shall have to be contented for the time with a policy of masterly inactivity. We shall be continually right across the Polar region down into the East Greenland Sea, between Spitzbergen and Greenland, having in this way reached and passed the Pole.

"We take with us provisions for five years Entirely depending upon the current, we shall be drifted first to one side and then to the

Hawaii and the United States. At a recent meeting the Cabinet of Hawaii was asked a series of questions by the native members of the Cabinet as to whether the Cabinet intended to negotiate a new reciprocity treaty with the United States; whether there was any intention of making a disposition of Pearl Harbor by the cession of the lease, and if it was proposed to send an envoy to Washington in the negotiation of any new treaty. Their questions were answered by Minister Wilcox, who said it was the desire of the Cabinet to establish closer relations with the United States, and that while no treaty or draft of a treaty has yet been under consideration by the new Cabinet, in negotiation of any treaty, should the Government of the United States so request the Hawaiian Cabinet would favor granting to the United States the exclusive

sels of the United States. On the same day the Cabinet outlined their policy, which they stated would be to maintain the autonomy and independence of the tions with the United States; to assist in the passage of the laws that will tend to relieve the present need of labor to carry on successfully the agricultural interests of the Kingdom; to administer the Government economically, and to promote the agriculture and other interests with such legislation and pecuniary assistance as possible.

right to enter the harbor of Pearl River, and

the right to estbalish and maintain there a

coaling and repair station for the use of ves-

Exterminator of the Daltons.

"I was in Coffeyville, Kan., the other day," said Traveling Salesman Will Prentiss, in Washington, the other day, "and I found the sensational fight with the Dalton gang still occupying the minds of the people to the exclusion of pretty much everything else.

"The hero of that fight, who shot three of the outlaws, and hit each of them in the head, has lost a good deal of the credit due him on account of an error in sending out his name. markable manipulator of a Winchester on that occasion was John Speer, or Spear. Well, it ain't. His name is John Kloehr, and he fairly owns Coffeyville at present.

"At this safe distance I may say that Mr. Kloehr is a crank on rifle shooting and always ing that the 120 Indians in that district had no has been. Before the tragedy he did little else than practice, and he used to delight in mons County. If it be decided that the Indians looking out for rats and shooting their heads

> by a bullet, is rapidly getting well, and will of the court. The impression exists in Coffey-

> "A funny thing was told me while there. There is a great deal of sympathy for the Dal-These colonies put forward the remarkable argument that the Daltons only robbed banks

At the Cour d'Alene riots last Summer Alex. The following is the official vote of Virginia The scheme to divide Kansas and make a for President: Cleveland, 163,977; Harrison, R. Chisholm, of Wardner, was one of the men arrested and put in prison for aiding and abetting the rioters. He alleges that on July 17 he was, by order of Col. Carlin, of the 4th Inf. compelled to remain until Sept. 30 without exernment has requested an explanation from this Government, and the authorities at Wash-

The South Carolina Confederate Home. Senator Abbott introduced a bill in the South establish a home for aged and disabled Confederate soldiers in the State. The bill provides the cost of the building to be not more than \$10,000. and for the erection of the same in Columbia. It is estimated that the cost of caring for the inmates, per annum, per capita, will be in the

The souvenir Columbian 50-cent piece authorized by Congress is about to be placed on sale by the Chicago World's Fair authorities at \$1 apiece. There is a great demand for them, and those persons who cannot secure them at the banks can obtain them by sending \$1 to the Treasurer of the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago, with instructions as to ship-

William McKinley, Sr., Dead.

William McKinley, sr., the father of Gov. McKinley, died Nov. 24 at Canton, O. The cause of death was heart disease, superinduced would cost the Government \$10,750,000 to several days was a great shock to the aged wife, who is feeble, and the members of the family fear it will be more than she will be

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diamond rings. After the clock had been re- smoke which filled the house. Gen. Twiggs's

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A Japanese Family's Dinner.

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A Lost Patriotic Anthem.

[Troy Times.] The author of our National anthem "America," Dr. Samuel Francis Smith, tells a good story of himself to his friends which is worth printing. Dr. Smith says that many years ago, long after he had written his famous worth printing. Dr. Smith says that many years ago, long after he had written his famous anthem, some lines for a song ran through his mind for more than a week. He tried to "harness" them, but could not, Their persistently returning to him, however, convinced him that they demanded outlet from his brain. "Finally," tells the author, "I woke up at 2 o'clock one morning to find the words clearly outlined in my mind. Every line stood before me. The poem was patriotic in its character, and as I saw it before me I realized that it

but being too sleepy to find a match I picked up a newspaper, and, taking my gold led-pencil from my vest pocket, I wrote down the words. "There were three verses, and when I had kraut, and other pickles of egg-plant, cucum-bers, turnips, or radishes. The soup is made from fish. The fish itself is broiled, stewed, or finished transcribing them I was exhausted could not remember a line, and then it was that I was grateful I had risen and transferred the verses to paper. But, to my amazement, when I looked at the newspaper, not a word was written on the margin. There were some weak traces of writing, but not a word! Then

and if written out would supplant it. I arose,

paired the stranger left. It was a half hour room was directly opposite Mrs. Smith's, the before Joansen returned, and then the robbery | landlady. At the first cry of fire she popped was discovered. Stories of Gen. Twiggs.

[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

"Gen. Twiggs! Do you remember, any of you, old Twiggs?" said a guest at the Laclede House from the land of fat pine. "He was shuttlecock game continued for several minutes, quite an old hero in the Mexican War, lived at New Orleans, and afterward came to St. Louis and stayed some time at the Washington House, on Fourth street, which was the name of the I looked at the pencil lying beside the paper.
The mystery was explained. In unscrewing the pencil I had dropped the lead on the floor, where I found it. I have never been able to lady named Smith. I boarded there myself, linen. To avoid any possible exchange of napand saw and heard a good deal of the old Gen-eral. He never withheld his opinions on any cloth up in a big red ribbon, so that there could where I found it. I have never been and to recall a word of the poem. But, then, I suppose it was not to be that I should write another anthem."

| eral. He never withheld his open beautiful his open beautiful his possibly be any mistake. Br. Be campy for all that had the courage one day to say, in my hearing and to a lot of Army officers and my hearing and to a lot of Army officers and like hear reading Harriet it was all nonsense to take so much pains with

peaked French night-cap. Simultaneously at the sight of each other they withdrew their heads. The alarm increased each moment, and until the landlady at last made a bold dash of it and fled along the hall. The boarders never let up on the old General for his gallantry in "He was a great stickler, too, for clean table-

her head out of her room door. At the same

instant the old General appeared in his long,

ter, and as I saw it before me I realized that it pairer. While thus talking a confederate window of the building. It was late at night | Fall in on me the minute I got under ground? was an anthem infinitely superior to 'America,' entered and filled a bag with watches and all the guests were up and alarmed by the No, sir.'"